STATE OF ILLINOIS SECRETARY OF STATE SECURITIES DEPARTMENT

IN THE MATTER OF: JOHN JOSEPH BETTERMAN

FILE NO. 1200188

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

TO THE RESPONDENT:

John Joseph Betterman (Crd#: 1684532)

1317 Elmwood Ave. Evanston, Il 60201

C/O Madison Family Advisors, Inc. 181 West Madison Street Suite 3360

Chicago, Il 60602

TO THE HEARING

OFFICER:

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WHEREAS, at the time of the Notice of Hearing, the Illinois Department of Revenue's ("Department of Revenue") records indicated an outstanding tax assessment of a tax administered by the Department of Revenue;

WHEREAS, the Illinois Department of Revenue has released such tax assessment; and

WHEREAS, the Secretary of State, by and through his duly designated representative, has determined that the Notice of Hearing entered on June 11, 2012 may be dismissed against the Respondent.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED: The Notice of Hearing entered on June 11, 2012 against the Respondent John Joseph Betterman in this matter is dismissed without prejudice.

Dated: This 11th day of July 2012.

JESSE WHITE

Secretary of State

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